

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED EXAMINING GROUP 3748 PATENT Customer No. 58,982 Attorney Docket No. 08350.1367-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Scott A. LEMAN) Group Art Unit: 3748
Application No. 10/788,431) Examiner: KYLE M. RIDDLE
Filed: February 27, 2004) Confirmation No. 7015
For: ENGINE VALVE ACTUATOR)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed November 22, 2006, the period for response having been extended to March 22, 2007 by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.